State of Virginia

RESENTS ATTACK.

Attorney For Berryville "Trys" Declares "Wets" Charges Scandalous.

Winchester (Special). — Attorney A. Moore, jr., who represents the "drys" in the contested local-option election at Berryville, Clarke County, has made a reply to the statements set for by the "wets" in their petition to the court asking that the election be set aside. The "drys" emphatically that the law was "openly, notoriously, and grossly" violated as charged, and assert that the election was legal, and that the returns were correctly made.

The slanderous attack alleged to have been made upon women in Berryville by the "wets" in their contest is denounced, the answer declaring that refined ladies should be made the objects of violent and slanderous charges show to what desperate means the opponents of the election are driven."

F. P. BURKE INDICTED.

Richmond Man Must Answer Charge Of Embezzlement.

Richmond (Special). — Frank P. Burke, superintendent of station B, of the Richmond post office, was indicted in the United States District Court for the embezzlement of a letter containing money from the United States mails. The case is one of the best-known men in Richmond. His friends still maintain that he is entirely innocent. He will probably plead insanity.

A true bill was also returned against Edward Hargrove, for the "devising a scheme or artifice for the purpose of defrauding by use of the United States mails." Hargrove, who was a minister at one time, obtained, it is alleged, many thousands of dollars' worth of goods through mail orders, which goods were never paid for.

FOUND MAN IN ROOM.

Roanoke Woman Screamed And Husband Captured Intruder.

Roanoke (Special). — About 3.30 o'clock A. M. Mrs. G. E. Kingry, who resides in the suburbs, was awakened by a noise into one of the sleeping buildings for the purpose of attempting to start a portion of the furniture of Mrs. C. A. Throckmorton, who resides on Mason Street. Mrs. Kingry screamed and the girl ran out of the room. Mr. Kingry, who was in another room, met with a man and captured the negro and took him to the police station.

He gave the name of Shade Blanch, and said he came to Roanoke to work and was drunk and did not know what he was doing. He was held for the grand jury.

KOINER SUSTAINED.

Commissioner Of Agriculture Can Now Dismiss Clerk.

Richmond (Special). — The State board of agriculture abolished the executive committee, created at the time of the reorganization of the department in Norfolk, naming a new ditting committee in its stead. The new committee consists of the chairman, G. W. Heater, W. H. Eggborn, and J. H. C. Berry.

The trouble in the department arose over the dismissal of Koiner in the absence in Europe of Commissioner George W. Koiner, of E. B. Chesterman, a former clerk, to the position of secretary-treasurer, with powers coequal to those of the commissioner. Koiner, who is elected by the people, decided to dismiss Chesterman, who had appointed, and the case will be heard in a complete victory for Koiner.

CANNOT COLLECT LOAN.

Government's Bad Bargain With Explosion.

Norfolk (Special). — Information from Washington to the effect that the government will take hold of the exposition, according to the terms set providing for a loan of $100,000 loan, caused no surprise in business or other circles here.

Any one with half an eye can see that the government has a bad bargain and cannot now hope to collect more than a small percentage of the loan, even should it take charge of the assets of the concern. It is probable that $1,000,000 could be collected between this and the date for the closing of the fair, November 15.

The taking over of the show by the government would not be resented by the majority of representative people in this vicinity of the sort who support amusements.

Girl Burned To Death.

Roanoke (Special). — Miss Lalla Harvey, daughter of R. O. Harvey, one of the wealthiest citizens of Floyd County, was burned to death. She went to the kitchen to light the fire, and was found in a pool of blood in the fireplace with her clothing burned off.

FOUND DEAD IN ROOM.

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Roanoke (Special).—While Mrs. J. H. Miller, wife of a Norfolk and Western conductor, was alone Saturday afternoon at her home at Shenandoah, a small boy entered the room and, climbing up to her with the remark, "I always like you," began to caress her.

She did not know that the husband in overalls was behind him until Miller removed the mask. He drew Phillips two serious cuts, one in the lip and one in the face, before he was stopped by the police.

Will Try Former Chaplain.

Norfolk (Special).—Former Chaplain Henry W. Lyon, who was recently dismissed from the navy by a court-martial, has returned to Norfolk. He is known, in the Congressional Court, charges of uttering fraudulent checks.

Jones is confident of acquittal. He says he has accepted a position at the head of a commercial business about to be launched in New York. He would not divulge the nature of it.

ROBBED OF $8,000.

Registered Mail Package Looted And Newspaper Substituted.

Richmond (Special). — It became known here that a registered mail package containing $8,000, sent by the Bank of Richmond to a correspondent in North Carolina, recently had been looted and a newspaper substituted for the bills. Government detectives have been here working on the case for the past ten days, and it is understood that the letter was the amount that would be sent weekly to the home of the child who is said to be there. The clothing of the child is of the finest material and well made.

HELD FOR WOMAN'S DEATH.

Norfolk Street Car Official Charged With Negligence.

Norfolk (Special).—The coroner's jury investigating the killing of Mrs. N. G. Munsell and Mrs. Henry Holmes, of Portsmouth, by a Norfolk and Western engine here last week, bought in a verdict finding Mot. J. Walker, superintendent of terminals for the road, guilty of criminal negligence for not having a flagman on the engine, as required by law.

A warrant charging Maj. Dubarry with involuntary manslaughter has been issued.

Union Veteran Disappears.

Woodstock (Special).—Myron Holmes, a Union veteran, is missed from his home near Sausville, Shenandoah County, on the morning of September 3. Mr. Weeks, who is a Union veteran, came to Woodstock and attended the September term of the Circuit Court and after the noon session he disappeared. His wife believes he has been foully dealth with.

The large livery stable belonging to Mr. Luther Grove, located in the center of the town of Edinburg, was destroyed by fire. The loss will amount to $2,000, partly insured.

Thieves Smash Plate Glass.

Winchester (Special). — Burglars smashed a large plate glass window in the clothing store of Gray & Sheetz, on Main Street, and stole a quantity of overcoats and other article. Bricks wee thrown through the window.

VIRGINIA BRIEFS.

Miss Mamie S. Sparks, of Culpeper County, has been named as sponsor and Miss Mary L. Waite, of the same county, as maid of honor from the Eighth Congressional District to the reunion of Confederate Veterans at Norfolk, to begin October 23.

James McCuen, a manufacturer of soda and mineral water, of Alexandria, made an assignment to C. J. W. Summers, trustee, for the benefit of creditors. He places his liabilities at $13,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Denison have left Mount Lake, where they have been camping since their marriage, for California. They will stop for a few days' visit to friends at Colorado Springs, Col.

R. B. Brown, of Northumberland County, has been appointed fertilizer inspector for the First Congressional District, to succeed Mr. Nock, of Accomac, resigned.

Ex-County Commissioner G. Carlton Snyder, of Hagerstown, has purchased of J. T. Nadenbush, of Martinsburg, 100 acres of land, near Cherry Run.

VIRGINIA OBITUARY.

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Three men were killed and two probably fatally hurt by the falling of a derrick used in the construction of the new Nickel Plate bridge over the Cuyahoga River, at Cleveland.

Purchasing Agent Trainor, of the Standard Oil, declared on the witness stand that he had never received any of the $20,000,000 paid to him, according to the Standard Oil books.

A burglary in the Century Building, in New York, was foiled by Richard F. Grey, the watchman, who was badly beaten by the robbers.

Four men were drowned and three others were badly burned when their gasoline yacht blew up on Raritan Bay, near Perth Amboy.

Mrs. Mary Ann S. Pepper-Vanderbilt, spiritualist medium, was arrested in New York on a charge of grand larceny.

The dead body of Miss Jennie L. Stevens was found floating in the Chicago River.

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A WARNING AND A REPROACH.

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The Hague (By Cable).—The arbitration committee of the Peace Conference adopted an important declaration drafted by Count Tornielli, of Italy, that the conference unanimously favors the principle of obligatory arbitration. The United States, Japan, Hayti and Turkey abstained from voting. Joseph H. Choate, of the American delegation, made a strong and virile speech, in which he explained the abstentation of the American delegation. He was frequently interrupted by applause. That the United States did not endorse it was the predominant note in Mr. Choate's address, which was at times severe in its criticism and reproach. He gave an admirable exposition of the limitations of his conviction—declaring that nothing had been said in favor of the United States national bureau, to act as a chancellory of the courts of arbitration, but that it should be instituted as soon as nine powers agreed to the creation of the International Association voted in the negative.

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Foreign

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Count von Zedlitz, the Prussian minister at Munich, Bavaria, will be appointed ambassador to Germany to St. Petersburg, in succession to Herr von Schon. Herr von Schon succeeds Tschirsky as minister for foreign affairs.

The Arctic steamer Frithjof, which accompanied the Wellman expedition to Spitzbergen, is now on the coast of Iceland and the captain and 15 of the crew were drowned.

Emperor Francis Joseph is serious-ly ill and the prospects that of the King and Queen of Spain may have to be postponed.

The wife of General Adolf von Buelow, of Berlin, fearing her husband was dying, fell dead herself at his bedside.

The power of Mulai Hafid, who had been proclaimed sultan in Southern Morocco, has been greatly strengthened.

Sixty thousand trades unionists took part in the celebration held at Budapest in favor of universal suffrage in Hungary.

Two French physicians have succeeded in producing smallpox known as port wine stains with vaccine.

Princess Alexandrine, wife of Crown Prince Christian of Denmark, has consumption.

The work of the Peace Conference at The Hague is practically finished.

Antoine Thomas, under arrest in Paris, has confessed to being also the famous Cope of Orth, which was valued at $1,250,000 and $750,000 in bonds. Many French churches of valuable art treasures. His mother, brother and another man have been arrested as accomplices.

The Paris-Rome express was wrecked at St. Pierre d'Arenas and one passenger was killed and six injured.

The German Foreign Office denies the report of a German fleet coming to Atlantic ports to participate in naval battleships go to the Pacific.

French advices from Casablanca say that the ridiculous pretensions of the Spanish commander are again causing difficulties.

The Sultan Abd-el-Aziz, of Morocco, received the French admiral and declared he would apply the reformed agreed upon.

Representatives of Russian trading companies in Persia complain that all the roads are in the hands of highwaymen.

THRAW TRIAL DECEMBER 2

Martin W. Littleton to Appear For Prisoner.

New York (Special).—Harry K. Thaw's second trial for the killing of Stanford White will begin December 2.

This agreement was reached between District Attorney Jerome, Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Thaw, and Justice Dowling, of the Supreme Court. Mr. Littleton wanted the date fixed for November 1, but Mr. Jerome opposed this, and offered the date which was selected.

Mr. Littleton asked for either the dismissal of the indictment against Thaw or to have the date for his second trial fixed for the first Monday in November, declaring it would be an injustice to hold his client longer without trial.

District Attorney Jerome said that the state of the calendar and such other public business would be seriously disturbed if the case were called in November, and suggested the first Monday in December.

"We will be prepared then," said Mr. Jerome, "and will move the case the day it is called."

Mr. Littleton said if Mr. Jerome must personally try the case he would consent to fixing the date for December 2. A special panel of jurors will be drawn for that day.

Mr. Littleton, formerly of Texas, later resided in New York and then Brooklyn, and now chief counsel for the defense in the Thaw trial, stopped in a cigar store in the World Building and in a newspaper man with whom he is acquainted.

"A somewhat interesting coincidence," remarked Littleton, "is that you are the third nominator of a presidential candidate for whom I have brought into Thaw's defense. First, there was ex-Governor Hughes, who put Roosevelt in nomination; then there was Delphin M. Delmas, who put Hearst in nomination for the same office, and now they have chosen me, who nominated you Judge Parker for the presidency."

"Perhaps," replied Mr. Former Texan, "we may yet get around to the man who put Bryan in nomination and interest him in the case."

BRAINSTORM FAILS.

Mrs. Fern Arlington Planned To Kill Whole Family.

Norristown (Special).—Brainstorm was the unsuccessful defense made by Mrs. Fern Arlington at her trial here for shooting and attempting to kill Samuel Wood, aged 16, and Mrs. Wood, of for several years, the household being made up of Mrs. Arlington's daughter, Mrs. Wood, and Wood's son in addition. She was convicted of assault and battery and will be developed during the trial that there was a conspiracy formed by the mistress and that she bought the pistol with which she fired at Wood for the purpose of killing the entire household. Mrs. Arlington's daughter, Mrs. Wood, whose husband had deserted her to live with the prisoner.

Upon the close questioning of Judge Weand, Mrs. Arlington declared her right name as Mrs. Edwin Dale, that she is a native of Canada and came East in search of advancement. She met Dale in a country store at Jeffersonville, where she was clerking, and that she met Meng, a carpenter, who was working in the house. Dale's dwelling. Shortly after that the two took up a residence in the Ridgway Mansion, on Ridge Pike, above Conshohocken, where the two, without any disguise, lived in apparent matrimony as man and boarder.

The Arlington, as she was generally known, tired of this life because Meng's 9-year-old daughter. Mrs. Arlington says that she became fond of the child. Meng died three months before the shooting she discovered that Meng had deposited certain acts towards his daughter. Mrs. Arlington says that shortly after she shot Meng.

The prisoner and immediate cause for the shooting, she said, was that she learned on the day of the shooting that Meng was planning to have the treatment of the child were correct.

Mrs. Arlington also testified that she would not say that the women who had been in the house were of the species of insanity, which he called "emotional insanity," but that the medical profession had not by the medical profession had not by the medical "Persons acting under such impulses," he said, "are not responsible, insane as the doctors understand. The law is different. The courts refuse to recognize such a condition of mind as insanity. The dangers are creating my moral responsibility and the penalties authorized."

The shooting, which caused a sensation here, occurred on Tuesday morning, July 23, when Mrs. Wood, in the back by Mrs. Arlington while at the apparent table. She was then still in his body, although he has sufficiently recovered from it to testify.

The jury deliberated two hours before reaching a verdict and recommended her to the mercy of the Court.

Lipton To Build A Cutter.

London (By Cable).—Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to build a new fifty-foot designed cutter to compete in the British regattas in 1908. It is the intention that either shall eclipse the White Heather II.

A Penitentiary For Sale.

Veronia, N. J. (Special).—Frank C. Goble, the collector of taxes, was authorized by the borough council to sell the penitentiary property under the delinquent taxes of $78.50 and said. "Will you really sell it, Mr. Goble?" a councilman asked. "You can bet your life I will," said Goble. "I have fooled long enough with these people and this is the last cuff. Just watch me." The property will be sold at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Arctic Ship Lost; 15 Drown.

Copenhagen (By Cable). —The Arctic steamer Frithjof, which accompanied the Wellman-Chicago Record-Herald expedition to Spitzberger, was lost off Cape Langenes, Iceland, on October 5. The captain and 15 of her crew were drowned. The engineer clung to a plank, on which he drifted ashore. The Frithjof was homeward bound to Norway, having been damaged by ice, and consequently was unable to withstand a storm which she encountered off Cape Langenes.

CASSIE CHADWICK DIES IN PRISON

Woman Borrowed $240,000 and Wrecked Bank.

HAD USED MR. CARNEGIE'S NAME.

Spectacular Career of Woman Who Induced Bank President and Cashier to Lend Her Four Times the Capital of Its Institution—Woman Lived in Luxury.

Columbus, O. (Special)—Mrs. Cassie Chadwick, whose amazing financial transactions culminated in the wrecking of an Oberlin (O.) bank, died in the woman's ward at the Ohio penitentiary at 10.15 o'clock P. M. Mrs. Chadwick had been in a comatose condition for some hours previous to her death. The end came peacefully. No friend or relative waited at her bedside, only the prison physician and hospital attendants being present. Her son, Emil Hoover, had been summoned from Cleveland, but reached here a few minutes after the woman's soul had departed from the way of life she followed so long.

Her brothers and sisters grew into honest men and women, and when she left the scene of life estranged her from them that they not only disowned her, but bitterly denied any knowledge of her relationship with them.

Her talent for forgery developed early. When she was 21 years old she was arrested on an indictment charging forgery. Her trial in 1877 was a sensation in the Canadian town. Her lawyers did not even claim that she had not committed the crime. Her only defense was that she was insane when she committed it.

Next Monday morning, November 28, the Citizens' National Bank of Oberlin will open its doors. A national bank examiner was sent on from Washington at the request of the directors. It was announced that President C. F. Beckwith and Cashier A. B. Spear had made large loans to Mrs. Chadwick. It later developed that the bank had closed the woman $240,000, four times its capital stock, which she had borrowed about $100,000 from Beckwith and Spear personally.

The bank did not open thereafter. Before the doors were opened December 4 at Oberlin on warrants sworn out by the bank examiner on charges connected with the bank failure. The bank officials and the other $500,000, signed "Andrew Carnegie" and drawn in favor of Mrs. Chadwick. They were given to the bank.

These arrests were followed December 5 by the arrest in New York of Mrs. Chadwick on the charge of forgery. She was taken to Oberlin the Oberlin Bank in the misappropriation of funds of Herrington, O., and was unable to give bail and was taken to the Tombs prison.

Mrs. Chadwick spent a lively time in New York prior to her arrest. She was followed about the city and hotels and was busy with many conferences with financial lawyers. She had a sensational visit to Wall Street one afternoon during her stay and on another made a sensational departure from the Hotel Belmont. In this she was followed by detectives, secret service men and reporters on a wild ride for liberty in fast-flying carriages. It was said her plan was to evade her watchers and flee to a foreign country. Several times she was reported on the verge of a breakdown, and at the time of her arrest Monday, December 5, she looked happy ever since, as the story books say.

"I didn't know you had a son," the school teacher remarked. "He doesn't look like you." She also asked rather hesitatingly, not knowing but that he might now be married with a family of children.

"Didn't you, Miss Thomson? Somehow I always thought everybody knew about my boy, for he's makin' a name for himself," Mrs. White answered, her face beaming with motherly pride. "He's as smart as a whip, that's like his father, and, what's more, in fact, he graduated from the grammar school with honors, and is now a professor of somethin' or other—I forget the name exactly, but it's something with 'ology'—in a large private school in New York. He's makin' lots of money, and for Christmas he sends me a hundred dollars, which I always put into the next bank for him, though of course he don't know that's what becomes of it. The Deacon gives me all I need, and I often think perhaps Teddy'll be marryin' some of these days, and then he'll be glad enough to have a tidy little sum to go housekeepin' on. Of course he'll have his father's first name, but that ain't worth much of anything, and the only real money there was went to pay for his schoolin'—schoolin' is terrible expensive—so I feel it's only right to look out a mite for his future. He's a good boy, Teddy is. He never forgets his old mother but comes to see her whenever he gets the chance and is just as lovin' as when he was a baby, and that's sayin' a great deal. What! Miss you yet?" as Miss Thomson arose. "Well, it's real glad you stopped in, and you must come again. Don't forget—and—Well, you're committed it."

The two walked on in silence for a time, but suddenly Mr. Burnham stopped short, saying abruptly:

"I want to say that was a fine sentence. Tell me, why did you run away from me, that day, and where have you hidden yourself ever since? You know I loved you and I believed you loved me, too. Why didn't you write to me?"

The moonlight shone full on his upturned face, and in the eye half hid by the drooping lids, she read, from last question, her lips quivering as she replied:

"I don't know."

He heard the words, and saw the quiver, and thought that was slight encouragement, he cried boldly:

"Margaret, you do love me. I don't know why you treated me so, but you do. Tell me you will marry me and I will forgive you."

Evidently the answer must have been satisfactory, for the next day Mrs. White and Margaret had a long conversation, but the conclusion of which the former said:

"I'm glad as can be that you're going to be my daughter, and it's been a old save up Teddy's presents to me, for I knew some day a money would come in handy by and by."

"I was afraid you would seem rather sudden to you, my dear mother," Margaret said, but you Teddy and I have known each other for five years," said Margaret, shyly, "and——"

"And you've come out for a walk this moment," interrupted Teddy's mother.—New Orleans Picayune Illustrated Sunday Magazine.

Unsuccessful People.

But for unsuccess there is ever an antidote, and of the many thousands who suffer from it there is not one who can not find relief if he will but choose. Unsuccess never annihilates a man unless he first destroys in himself the will to annihilate him. As the form of a species is obtainable in the form of a crystal, a gas, a fluid, or a liquid, so the antidote of unsuccess takes on as many varied forms as the sufferers. One person finds the antidote in one of the so-called new religions, another finds it in the exertion of the mental faculties in some line far from the business of another in the companionship of a chosen individual, who infuses him with courage, and enables him once more in spirit to stand on firm legs. One finds the antidote in some books of philosophy; another from the contemplation of unfortunate sufferers, another in the bravery of the lives of created things—ants and spiders, for their own defeats. The antidote is everywhere, and he is half-unsuccess is not a man who finds the antidote is everywhere, and he is half-unsuccess is not a man who finds a lack of force. The conditions change naturally with the state; and this is true, and worthy to be accepted—unsuccess does not exist where hope is, where faith is, where enthusiasm burns like fire in the heart.—From "Talks on Failure and Spells Success," by Meary Mears, in the Circle.

Out of Practice.

"These kisses you sold me yesterday are hard and stale," growled a customer at the candy counter. "I thought you claimed to keep only fresh candies."

"We do generally," replied the fair saleslady. "Those must have come from an old batch."—Lippincott's.

The railway commission of New South Wales are adopting a system of electrically synchronized clocks.

A GLIMPSE OF THE LARGEST FEDERAL PRISON IN THE UNITED STATES.

By Mrs. C. R. MILLER.

At the Federal prison at Leavenworth, Kan., 965 prisoners are engaged in building ground and over them the very prison in which they will be confined. This institution, when completed, will be the largest and best equipped Federal prison in the country. It was begun in 1898, and will probably not be finished for several years. It has a frontage of 800 feet, with a depth of 900 feet in the rear. The wall which surrounds the buildings and incloses sixte